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TURKEY AND PERSIA.

OLYMAN, pascha of Bassora, having revolted, and attack'd Babylon, four of the neighbouring paschas have orders to march their troops to relieve that town.——The affairs of Persia, according to advices by the Smyrna caravan, being settled once more, and Shawroke Schah (who had taken and blinded Ibrahim Mirza) in quiet possession of the throne, ambassadors are appointed on both sides, in order to confirm the late treaty with Schah Nadir.

GERMANY.

The empress queen is again pregnant; a large army is kept up, and in very good order. The locusts, after ravaging part of Poland, and the neighbourhood of Vienna (where they killed multitudes of them with fire arms, but were obliged to desist by the stench of the carcases) took their flight, darkening the air, towards Bohemia and Bavaria, and did vast damage about Pilsen in Bohemia; being driven away from Budweis by the noise of bells, and discharge of cannon, they settled a league off on trees, the branches of which broke down with their wright; and tho' 160 sacks of them were destroyed in the night by burning straw under the trees, they came next morning near the town, and soon devoured two cart loads of hay. They have advanced in Bavaria to Ratisbon and Aichstet, and cover'd 300 acres of land in Franconia.

ITALY.

Instead of the Italian powers attacking the Algerines as they threatned, eleven ships of the latter have alarmed for several days the coast of Naples, intending to seize the king in the isle of Procida, as he was hunting pheasants; but were disappointed, and retired, finding the coasts well guarded.——A scheme from England for yielding Sardinia and Corsica to Don Philip, for a large sum of money or an exchange, is much discoursed of, as well as how much has been already done for the infant Don.——An earthquake at Messina has thrown down many houses, damaged most of the palaces and churches, and destroyed many inhabitants.

SPAIN.

The company established at St. Sebastian's, being informed that divers persons carried on a contraband trade at the Caraccas with foreigners to the company's prejudice, sent orders to their principal factor to take proper measures for putting a stop to it. The factor, on application to the governor, obtained some troops, and met with no opposition to the king's orders in favour of the company, 'til he came to the habitation of Don John Francis de Leon, who had amassed great riches during the late war. This man assembling the inhabitants of that canton, with the negroes, sent word to the officer and factor, that they must retire on peril of their lives. Some days after (April 22) he wrote to the governor, desiring him to order the factor and other servants of the company to retire from the province; soon after, with 500 men, he made himself master of the Caraccas, and obliged the governor, with the factor and others, to retire to Guaira and Porto Caballo. He then appointed agents to take care of the company's effects, and with the rest of the rebels resolved to admit of no more of the company's ships, pretending that trade ought to be free there. These disorders lasted from April 22 to June 24. The governor and ecclesiastic chapter of the Caraccas have assured his majesty of their inviolable loyalty, but represented that the only way to preserve his authority would be to abolish the company.——It is newly made death for a Spaniard to correspond with the garrison of Gibraltar.

The court is inform'd, that effects to the value of above seven millions, which came in the fleet from the West Indies, have been smuggled by a certain great person (the queen dowager), and above a million has been found in her palace; which however she disowns.

FRANCE.

His most Christian majesty, after a progress through Roan, and other places of Normandy, arrived the 10th instant at Havre de Grace, and the same evening visited the fort at the entrance of the harbour. The next day he came abroad at nine in the morning, and took a turn on the North pier, whence he had a view of the harbour at low water, and of the use of the sluices. Then after hearing mass he went on board the Chariot Royal in the bason, saw all the different workings of the ship, the careening of another vessel, and afterwards visited the different manufactures belonging to the naval arsenal. In the afternoon he went to see three ships launched, and a naval engagement between six ships in the road; after which he visited the rope walk, the citadel, and the snuff manufactory. *If the French king becomes fond of naval affairs, the influence of the royal example may greatly contribute to render France as formidable by sea as it is by Land.*

LOW-COUNTRIES.

Prince Charles, our governor, has summoned engineers and workmen for the repairing the fortifications of Brussels, Antwerp, Aeth, Mons, Namur, and Charleroy; and will employ the retaken deserters in this work, instead of shooting them. New money having been coined, the army is paid with it, the officers in silver, and the soldiers in copper.

HOLLAND.

The peace has rather made the people more unwilling to pay the necessary taxes, so that the difficulty of raising the revenue still subsists, and obliges the regency to disband 10,000 of it's troops.

At Nykopping, in Jutland, was lately caught a mermaid, which from the waist upwards had a human form, but the rest was like a fish, with a tail turning up behind, the fingers were joined together by a membrane; it struggled, and beat itself to death in the net.

LONDON.

On the 19th *ult.* an order was made out to the Exchequer for remitting to Scotland the money certified by the lords of sessions, due to the nobility and gentry, &c. on account of the heretable jurisdictions abolished by act of parliament.

On the 30th, some artificers, seized on board a ship at Portsmouth, bound to Spain, were examined, and 9 of them discharged from bail, and seven continued. Orders were given for prosecuting seventeen persons, most of them principals, on the statute, which makes it felony for artificers to go abroad without leave.

A smuggler, executed at Maidstone, confessed the murder of Mr. Medlycott of Lincoln, about ten years ago, with whom he then lived as a servant. Mr. Medlycott was to have been married the same morning, and the pistol being found by him, it was, 'til this discovery, generally thought that he had shot himself.

Sept. 4. At a general meeting of the commissioners of the turnpikes, at the guild-hall in Bristol, it was unanimously resolved to draw up a letter to the duke of Newcastle, to request his grace to order the speedy trials of the prisoners in the several goals of the city, on account of destroying the turnpikes; this letter being drawn up by a committee, was signed by all the gentlemen then present, and many more for several days following; and a deputation was appointed to deliver it to his grace.

The works of Dunkirk began to be demolished in the presence of English surveyors, agreeable to the late treaty of Aix-la-Chapelle.

Sept.

Sept. 14. Ended the sessions at the Old Baily, having lasted eight days, when were condemned 19 persons: viz. 2 for a riot, and pulling down part of a house near Temple-bar, 2 for house-breaking, 14 for street and highway robberies, and 1 for returning from transportation.

The French making pretensions to a part of Nova-Scotia, or Acadia, the lords of trade and plantations have searched into the ancient records, treaties, and memorials, relating to that country, and find that the whole extent of that province has belonged to the British crown ever since 1725, when all the Indian chiefs took an oath of fidelity to K. George I.—— The result of this research has been communicated to the earl of Albemarle, to give additional force to his remonstrances against the construction of a new fort, now building there by the French, on the river St. John; and orders were sent to governor Cornwallis, to oppose all settlements of the French, in any part of the province.

The whale-fishery in Davis's streights has been very prosperous this season; 41 Dutch ships have taken 105 fish, making 8704 casks of blubber: 4 Hamburgh vessels took 15 fish and a half; and the rest of the ships 4 fish and a half amongst them. The ——, capt. Adams, arrived in the river from Greenland, caught 4 whales and a quarter, 4 sea-horses, and an unicorn, whose horn is 10 feet long.

Sept. 23. The debtors in the Marshalsea prison began a mutiny, which continued 'till the next morning; they broke open several doors, and threatened the lives of the keepers; for which two of them have been committed to the New Goal.

Sept. 26. The Portuguese have two guarda costas at Cape de Verd, which take all vessels that come there for a dye called *Weed*, which is prohibited; they took three English ships, and a fourth narrowly escaped.

Sept. 27. The crews of the Stirling Castle and Defiance men of war, after two years, were paid their prize money, amounting to *fixpence* each foremast man.

It is reported that the Dutch in the East Indies have thrown off their dependency on Holland, and form'd a government of their own.

An English vessel arrived at Leghorn from Salonica, was met by three Tunis vessels; and because the captain would not strike and bring to, they forced him, and then punish'd him with 300 bastinados on his feet.

On the 23d of this month died Sir Watkin Williams Wynne of Denbighshire, Bart. by a fall from his horse, in hunting. An excellent pattern of generosity and hospitality, a steady senator, a firm patriot, a known enemy to the corruption and venality of the times: In private life, a hearty and sincere friend, and a noble example of conjugal fidelity: His house was a daily relief for the poor; there was good bread for the hungry, and good drink for the thirsty, and none let to go away empty. He served in Parliament ever since 1726. He had only one son, born April 8 last, by his second lady.

Cockermouth in Cumberland, September 3. In the night between the 22d and 23d inst. in the midst of the most terrible lightning and thunder that ever was seen or heard, a large rock near the tops of the mountain [*at St. John's*] was rent asunder; out of which came so great a deluge of water, and with such violence and rapidity, as carried all before it, such as solid stones of incredible weight, houses, barns, mills, &c. and even erased their very foundations, so that you cannot now tell where they stood: the mill-stones are carried some hundred yards from the mill, and tossed upon the rubbish and sand, the quantity of which is so great, that it has laid waste a great tract of arable and meadow-land, which will for the future be for ever spoiled, being as deep in some places as the tops of trees.

It would surpass all credit to give you every particular circumstance of this surprizing cataract, which still continues to discharge a large quantity of water, of such a strange nature, as to tinsture all the river Derwent quite down to the sea, which must be near twenty miles. The damage done to the hay, corn, and proprietors of the neighbouring fields and houses, is computed at 4000*l.*

[*Hasty for the Magazine.*]

Bristol, July 29. Last Monday night a great body of country people of the county of Somerset, came to Bedminster, making prodigious shouts, so as to be heard several miles round, and fell to work with hatchets, &c. on the turn-pike gates and houses erected for the Ashton road, and though they were exceeding strong, they quite demolish'd them in about thirty minutes. The commissioners have publish'd a reward of 100*l.* for discovering any person or persons concern'd therein,——or in any future act of this kind, besides being intitled to his majesty's most gracious pardon.

And on Tuesday night another body of country people of the Gloucestershire side, some naked with only trowsers on, some in their shirts, several with their faces black'd, &c. came and destroy'd a second time, the turn-pike gates, and turn-pike house at don John's cross, on the Toghill road; about a mile from this city. They bored holes in the large posts and blew them up with gunpowder. Some hours before, the tollman of the gate was severely threatened; and his wife was told if she did not go home, her bones should be sent home in a bag.

However, cross bars and posts, were again erected, and chains put a cross the roads, and some stout men were plac'd to assist the tollmen; and particularly at those on the Ashton road, on tuesday, the commissioners took it by turns, about a dozen in a body, to stand at the gates likewise, to give an awe to the people and oblige them to pay the toll. Notwithstanding which, the same morning, several persons attempted to force their passage with some cattle and colts, for the fair, and insulted the gentlemen; and one of them, who held the but end of his whip over one of the commissioner's head, in a menacing manner, will, we hear, have an information lodg'd against him in the crown office.

They came a second time, on Wednesday night, between ten and eleven o'clock, in a prodigious body, with drums beating, and loud shouting, arm'd with cutting instruments fix'd in long staves, &c. and some disguis'd in womens apparel, and soon dispatch'd their work, in quite demolishing the turnpike erections fix'd, as well as the house which was rebuilding on the Ashton road, and also the strongest turnpike on the Dendry road, which was not before cut down.

It was given out they would come again on Friday night, and in order to receive them a strong guard of seamen, all arm'd with musquet, pistols, cutlasses, &c were placed at the turnpike gate, (which was again erected) and most certainly, had they made another attempt to destroy it, some lives would have been lost, perhaps on both sides.

In pursuance of the commissioners resolution, on Thursday those gentlemen made an excursion on horseback, eight miles into the county of Somerset, arm'd with musquets, and pistols, in search of some of those concern'd in destroying the turnpike gates, &c. one of whom they took at Blackwell, and brought him pinion'd behind one of their servants on horseback, to Bedminster about six in the evening.

On account of these disturbances, the city gates are shut at nine o'clock at night; and all the constables have orders to be ready on any emergency; and the citizens are determined to defend themselves.

We are told, that those persons in Newgate have impeach'd a great many of their accomplices.

August 12. Since last Saturday morning, this city has remained free from any apprehensions of the colliers and country people; as we have now six troops of the second regiment of dragoon guards, to prevent any further insults; two of those troops arrived on Saturday from Gloucester, and the rest marched in last week, all on foot their horses being left behind at grass.

Their timely arrival occasioned the colliers and country people to disperse on saturday last; and polls and chains are again erected, and the tolls levied: But the commissioners have now ordered the turnpikes to be fixed nearer to the liberties of the city; so that it must be a very bold step for any to presume cutting them down again so near the houses.

A body of 3 or 400 colliers, who came from Clutton, Paulton, and other coal-works, in order to join their brethren in Kingswood, returned back on saturday over the river to Kenham, greatly enraged against those in Kingswood, for disappointing them, after so many threatnings, that enabled them to leave their works; and were very near on the point of dispatching one of the Kingswood leaders, and pulling his and some other of the principal colliers houses down.

The same day a body of those people accosted one of the judges in his coach near Pensford, coming the circuit to this city, and told him, *Sir we have cut down the turnpikes*—— He said to this purport, *I am sorry for it; you had better let them alone; and that you will find*——They then pres'd his lordship for money; but the coachman was ordered to drive on.

The unhappy persons in Newgate and Bridewell, &c. on account of cutting down the turnpikes, &c. are to be tryed by a special commission from the government. Several will take their tryals in London, some in Bristol, and the rest elsewhere; but

but when the judges will arrive to try those that are to be arraigned in this city, is not yet certain.

All those wounded in the Totterdown conflict are in a fair way of recovery, except farmer Barnes, and even of him there are hopes. Not one as yet died of the whole number.

Sept. 2. We have accounts from several parts of Somersetshire, that the people in that country are far from being in a quiet condition, and not able yet to digest the paying turnpike-tolls, and vow they will come in a body and again cut down and destroy the turnpikes, &c. now re-erected, and for this purpose they intended to come by night to do their work, to prevent a second Totterdown affair. ——And further threaten, that they will invest the roads, and prevent the market people bringing provisions to the city, for the space of one month, to see whether the citizens chose rather to have the turnpikes up, and be debarr'd of necessaries; or take them down, and suffer them to come free to the market with plenty in their hands.

As a further indication, to make people believe they were in earnest, another daring, insolent, anonymous letter came to the mayor's hands last Wednesday, from the same quarter, expostulating therein, what a sad thing it would be to see that noble fabric the Exchange, and other fine edifices of this great city, reduced to ashes, &c. and that this would certainly be the case, for that their intention was to set the city on fire in different parts, if the turnpikes were not taken down, &c.

Cholmondely's regiment is expected to arrive here every hour. The dragoons here patroll the streets of this city every night, to prevent any mischief from incendiaries.

NEW-YORK, *November 20.*

By a gentleman lately arrived from B—m—da, we are informed, that the g——r of that island, in conjunction with his cl—y, has introduced the *most laudable* method and practice of singing psalms in the ch—h with violins, instead of organs; by which means several people can be employed with musical instruments at once, to the great edification of such merry Blades, as are fond of dancing to the sound of a ch—h fiddle.

ANNAPOLIS.

Last Week a Lad attempting to go on board a Shallop in *South* River in a small Canoe, got to the Shallop, and laid hold of the Gunnel; but the Canoe slipping from under him, he hung by his Hands, calling for Help; but none coming time enough to save him, he dropp'd into the Water and was drowned. His Body has been since found.

Last Saturday sailed from hence the *Squirrel*, Capt. *Toy*, and the *Speedwell*, Capt. *Robinson*, for *London*; and the *Falcon*, Capt. *Spencer*, for *Biddeford*.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,

Sloop Swan, Robert Parker, from Boston;
Schooner Lucy, John Horton, from Boston;
Brigantine Neptune, Solomon Townsend, from Rhode Island;
Schooner Molly, Daniel Rothery, from Virginia.

Cleared for Departure,

Ship George, William Brisbane, for Virginia;
Ship Neptune, Ambrose Judd, for London;
Ship Squirrel, William Toy, for London;
Ship Speedwell Galley, Daniel Robinson, for London;
Sloop Molly, Paul Loyall, for Virginia;
Ship Falcon, Thomas Spencer, for Biddeford;
Brigantine Robert, George Roundtree, for Madeira;
Schooner Mulberry, John Jackson, for Virginia;
Schooner Molly, Daniel Rothery, for Virginia.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO be SOLD to the highest Bidder, for Sterling Money, or Currency, at the House of *Joseph Hall*, in *Calvert* County, several choice Negroes, consisting of Men, Women, and Children. The Sale will begin on Wednesday the 3d Day of *January* next.

JOHN WARDROP,
December 20, 1749. JOSEPH HALL.

November 14, 1749.

ON Thursday the 15th Day of *February* next, on the Premises, will be sold by way of Vendue, for Current Money of *Maryland*, the Dwelling Plantation of the late *Levin Gale*, Esq; containing by Estimation about 1000 Acres, lying on *Wicomico* Creek, in *Somerset* County in *Maryland*, by

GEORGE GALE, Executor.

THOSE Inspectors, who were last Year furnished by the Printer hereof with Books, Manifests, Notes, Paper, and Ink, may be supplied for the ensuing Year on the same Terms; notwithstanding there will be many more used this Year, than the last: As may any others, who have not hitherto been supplied by him. All those who agree with him, are desired to give him Notice by Letter, or otherwise, as soon as possible.

THere is in the Possession of the Subscriber, Sheriff of *Baltimore* County, a middle siz'd Dark-Bay Horse, seems to be very old, trots, and is very dull; he is branded, as near as can be discerned, thus . The said Horse was taken from a Fellow in *Baltimore* County, near Mr. *Giles*'s Iron Works, sometime in *July* last, when the Fellow made his Escape. The Owner is thought to live either in *Prince George's* or *Frederick* County, or else in *Virginia*; and may have the Horse, paying the Charge of advertising. 2

ROGER BOYCE.

November 30, 1749.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the 9th Day of January *next, on the Premises*,

EIther the Whole, or Part, of a Tract of Land called *Clean Drinking*, lying near *Rock Creek*, in *Prince George's* County, containing about 2000 Acres, for either Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, Paper Money, or Tobacco, by 2

JOHN HANSON, the youngest.

N. B. The above Land was formerly the Estate of the late Mr. *John Courts*, deceased; and shall be made over by his Heirs to the Purchaser.

HENRY GASSAWAY designing for *London* early in the Spring, gives this public Notice thereof: And all Persons, who have any Demands on him, are desired to bring in their Accounts, in order that they may be paid: Likewise all those who are indebted to him, are desired to make Payment as soon as possible. 2

Leonard's Town, December 6, 1749.

BRoke out of *St. Mary's* County Goal, on Thursday Night last, the two following White Men; viz.

Nicholas Whiteborn, about 40 Years of Age, Country born, a very tall Fellow, very thin faced, has black Eyes, and a remarkable broad Scar on the Crown of his Head, occasioned by a Burn; he carried with him a new Gun with a yellow Stock, and sundry other new Goods of great Value; and a Saddle and Bridle, which makes me believe he will steal a Horse.

John Carmichael a *Scotchman*, about 20 Years of Age, a short Fellow, of a sandy Complexion, and has lost the Sight of one Eye: He had on an old white Coat, a brown Holland Jacket, yellow Sheepskin Breeches, an old Hat, &c. 2

Whoever will secure and bring home the said Runaways, or either of them, so that I get them again, shall receive Two Pistoles Reward for *Whiteborn*, and One Pistole for the other, besides the Allowance by Law, to be paid by,

STOURTON EDWARDS, Goaler of *St. Mary's* County.

JOHN INCH, GOLDSMITH,

IS Removed from *South-East* Street, in *Annapolis*, to the House on the Point near the Guns; where all Persons may be supplied with all Sorts of Gold and Silver Work, and may have their Clocks and Watches clean'd and mended, in the best and cheapest Manner, as usual. 2

N. B. The said *Inch* has taken out Licence, and keeps good Entertainment for Man and Horse: He sells Punch very cheap, and also retales Rum, Wine, Cyder, &c.

TO be Sold by the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, Super Fine GREEN and BOHEA TEA, at very reasonable Rates, for Ready Money. 2

WILLIAM STEWART.

LARGE, and POCKET ALMANACKS, for the Year MDCCL, to be Sold by the Printer hereof.

December

December 6, 1749.

THERE having been a Quantity of Tobacco shipp'd on board the following Ships, to Mr. *Hanbury*; *viz.*

1744, The *Friendship*, *Philip Young*;
1744, The *Anne*, *Jacob Hale*;
1745, The *Rose*, *Thomas Morrison*;
The *Humber*, *Thomas Stott*;
1746, The *Winchelsea*, *Thomas Cornish*;
The *Britannia*, *John Hutchinson*;
1747, The *Ridley*, *John Jackson*;
The *Spencer*, *Adam Spencer*;
The *Bridge-Town*, *James Barrett*;
The *Delight*, *John Hunter*;
The *Fell*, *Robert Brown*;
1748, The *Diamond*, *Nathaniel Chew*;
The *Winchelsea*, *Thomas Cornish*;
The *Eastern Bramble*, *Temple Chevalier*;
The *Sea Nymph*, *Richard Story*;

The Proprietors whereof not being known, he has sent an Account of the Proceeds to the Subscriber; who will inform the Owners, upon their producing their Bills of Lading, or describing their Marks and Numbers, and making appear their Right to such Tobacco.

NATH. CHEW.

WANTED,

A HEALTHY, lively Negro Boy, of about Fifteen Years of Age.

Any Person who has such a one to dispose of, may know where to get a good Price, in Sterling Money, or Bills of Exchange, by enquiring of the Printer hereof.

To be LEASED for Life, or Years,

TWO Tracts of Land, on the Branches of *Patuxent* River, about four Miles from *Green*'s Mill in *Anne Arundel* County: The Land is reckon'd excellent for Tobacco, is convenient to the Barrens, for raising Hogs, *&c.* has Plenty of good Meadow, a fine Air, and delightful Streams of good Water running plentifully through it. The two Tracts will be divided into ten, twelve, or more tenements. Agree with the Subscriber at *Annapolis*.

BEALE BORDLEY.

To be SOLD,

A Likely, brisk, healthy Negro Wench, about Sixteen Years of Age, who understands all Manner of Houshold Work. Enquire of the Printer.

JUST Imported from *London*, in the Ship *Prudence*, a large Quantity of *European* and *India* Goods, to be Sold by the Subscribers at *Baltimore-Town*, very reasonably, by Wholesale.

MICHAEL HUBERT, and Comp.

LOST between Mr. *Walter Phelps*'s Landing-Place, near the Place where the Ships loaded in *South* River, and the further Gate of Mr. *Snowden*'s Plantation, where Capt. *Bell* now lives, a Silver Tobacco Box, with a Coat of Arms on the Lid, the Crest a Star over a Coronet. Whoever will bring the said Box to the Subscriber living in *London-Town*, shall receive Twenty Shillings from

WILLIAM PEELE.

WILLIAM GOVANE, intending to depart this Province early in the Spring, desires all Persons indebted to him to make speedy Payment of their respective Debts: And those to whom he is indebted, are desired to apply to him for Payment.

To be SOLD by the said GOVANE,

CHoice *Barbadoes* and *New-England* Rum, *Jamaica* Melasses, and Muscovado Sugar, at the cheapest Rates, for Ready Money, or *Indian* Corn.

JAMES COOK, Gardener, from *England*, hereby gives this public Notice to all Gentlemen and others, that he performs all Sorts of Gardener's Work, in the best Manner, and at the most reasonable Rates. The said *Cook* is willing to engage himself by the Year, to any Gentleman, who, by sending a Line to the Printer hereof, shall be immediately waited on by

JAMES COOK.

N. B. He liv'd 4 Years with the Hon. *Edmund Jennings*, Esq;

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber on open Account, are desired to settle them without Delay; for which purpose Attendance will be given at his Store in *Annapolis*, every Friday and Saturday, and at *London Town* on every other Day.

Likewise those who are still indebted to the Estate of *Thomas Lloyd*, are requested to discharge their respective Ballances in a very short Time; otherwise they may expect to be sued, without further Notice.

JAMES DICK.

IMported in the *Betsy*, Capt. *Hall*, the following Parcels of Goods; *viz.*

A Box marked P B, No. 5; —— A Box marked H B, the two Letters joined together, and inclosed in a Diamond; —— And, a Box marked P (inclosed in a Diamond), No. A. For which no Owners have as yet appeared. The Persons to whom they belong, may have them, by applying to the Subscriber at *London Town*.

There was deliver'd out of the said Ship, by Mistake, a small Case, mark'd H A, containing Loaf Sugar, and several other Things. Also, a Cask, marked I C, No. 3, the I running through the C; being a Cask of empty Canisters. Those who have them are desired to give Information of them to the Printer hereof, or to

JAMES DICK.

BRoke or Stolen out of Mr. *Lawson*'s Pasture, at the Iron-Works in *Baltimore* County, about the End of *September* last, a Dark-Bay Horse, about ten Years old, low in Flesh, his Mane divided and hanging on both Sides, a Switch Tail, some Marks of Saddle-Galls upon his Back, and is shod all round. Whoever takes up the said Horse, and brings him to Mr. *Lawson*, shall have a reasonable Reward.

JOHN WALLIS, CHIMNEY SWEEPER,

Who served his Time to John Kent, Esq; *(his most Excellent Majesty* KING GEORGE *the Second, his) Chimney-Sweeper in* London; *and understands that curious and difficult Business as well as any Man*,

LIVES now near the Gate in *Annapolis*, and will Sweep Chimneys in the best and cleanest manner, so that there shall be no Danger of their Firing (which often happens soon after they are pretendedly swept with long Brooms) for One Shilling each Chimney; or will undertake by the Year, to keep them Clean; and waits on Gentlemen *at their Houses*. Any Gentlemen, or others, who shall be pleased to employ him, may depend on being Serv'd with Fidelity, Care, and Dispatch, by

Their humble Servant,

JOHN WALLIS.

November 3, 1749.

LOST or Stolen, from the Dwelling House of *Charles Carroll*, Esq; in the City of *Annapolis*, about ten Days ago, one old Silver Mug, holding above half a Pint; with a Coat of Arms engraved thereon, being a Sword erect, between two Lyons rampant: Likewise three Silver Spoons, with a Crest engraved on each, being a Falcon, with Wings expanded, standing on a Stump having a Branch on each Side.

If offered to be pawn'd or sold, whoever will secure the Person so offering the same, shall, upon Conviction of the Thief, be intitled to a Reward of Five Pounds, to be paid by

CHARLES CARROLL.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of Land called *Nicholson's Manor*, laid out for 4200 Acres (belonging to the Heirs of *William Nicholson*, deceased), lying in the Forest of *Baltimore* County, about 24 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, on *Potapsco* River, and about the same Distance from a good Landing on *Gunpowder* River. There is a fine Branch running through it, adjoining to which is a good deal of low rich Meadow Ground, which may be brought to good Perfection with little Expence: It is well situated for raising Stock, there being a great Range of Barrens back of it.

Any Person inclinable to purchase the aforesaid Tract of Land, may, by applying to the Subscriber in the City of *Annapolis*, examine the Title, and know the Terms of Sale.

J. ROSS.

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